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Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: 29 December 1959

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PARTICIPANTS: General Wedemeyer  
Lawrence R. Houston

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1. I saw General Wedemeyer on 28 December and briefed him on the information available to this Agency on [redacted]

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[redacted] I informed General Wedemeyer that we had no particularly useful information on the witnesses whose names he had given us but we thought [redacted] might be additional witnesses who could be helpful. I said I was very sorry that our Agency survey had not brought up more positive or helpful information. General Wedemeyer said he was most appreciative and he felt it was most helpful and he had hated to put us to the trouble of looking into this matter. I assured him that Mr. Dulles was only too glad to do what he could and that we would be glad to follow up any other points he could think of.

2. I suggested I might talk over our information with his lawyer and he said he would greatly appreciate it if I would talk both to Mr. Roger Robb, his lawyer, and General Maddox. He offered me his entire basic file in the case and I said I would have it checked to see if it offered any further leads.

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STAT 3. It was a most friendly conversation and he spoke in high terms of work done by OSS in the China theater during the war and expressed his admiration for the Director and his confidence in the Agency. [ ] STAT

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STAT 4. General Wedemeyer felt his case would go to trial as, in his opinion, [ ] wanted not only to clear his name but wanted money and this was not acceptable.

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LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON  
General Counsel

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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

Attached is a memorandum of my conversation with General Wedemeyer. I have talked to General Maddox and will probably see him on the 31st of December. [REDACTED] will be back in town on the 3rd of January. FE Division is reviewing General Wedemeyer's records.

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Lawrence R. Houston  
General Counsel

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